

**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 3621**

**S/N 09/416,252**

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: David R. Tushie et al.

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**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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In response to the Final Office Action and the Notice of Appeal, please consider the following remarks.